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organic yard waste. Jenkins said the program is operating "better than our wildest dreams."

The operation is now accepting waste from Springville and Spanish Fork, Jenkins said. During 1992, the city will begin selling wood chips to gain more revenue from the composting project.

Concern over Provo's housing stock increased during the year as the city struggled to house university and college students as well as new employees for expanding businesses.

"In Provo right now, most of the houses being built are the great big homes," Jenkins said.

If cleaned up, the land could be used for a light industrial park.

Provo's downtown area continued to develop during the year. One firm announced it would renovate Provo Town Square and construct a high rise parking structure behind the square with assistance from the city.

Jenkins said for years, Provo city has had a "blighted downtown trying to come back." Employees moving into Nu Skin International's 10-story corporate office building will help make surrounding downtown businesses more success-